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Appln. No.	09/513,888	: Examiner: Gerald Leffers, Jr.
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For:	COMPOSITIONS, KITS AND METHODS RELATING TO THE HUMAN <i>FEZ1</i> GENE, A NOVEL TUMOR SUPPRESSOR GENE	: Attorney Docket : No. <b>9855-30U1</b> :

**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is provided in response to the non-final Office Action (Paper No. 30) mailed August 26, 2003. It is accompanied by a Petition for an Extension of Time for Response (three months) extending the time for response up to and including February 26, 2004. This Amendment is timely filed on February 26, 2004.

Kindly amend the application as follows:

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